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Re: Studsvik AB (publ) - Information Furnished Pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We hereby furnish this letter and accompanying information to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b)(1)(iii) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Our file number with the Commission is 82-5172.

If you have any questions please contact the undersigned at +46 155 22 10 61 or fax: +46 155 22 10 60.

Yours sincerely,

Inger Wahlström Information

**Enclosures:** 

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Prosecutor drops preliminary investigation against Studsvik

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## Prosecutor drops preliminary investigation against Studsvik

The prosecutor has decided to drop the preliminary investigation concerning suspicions that Studsvik was in violation of the Radiation Protection Act and the Act on Transportation of Hazardous Goods in connection with a shipment of radioactive iridium.

The prosecutor notes in his decision that it cannot be shown that any individual within the company can be charged with such negligence that a crime existed and that the preliminary investigation is therefore being discontinued.

## Background

A shipment from Studsvik containing radioactive iridium was found to have an abnormally high radiation level when measurements were taken on receipt in New Orleans, USA. The preparation, iridium-192, was intended for industrial use. The preparation was sent from Studsvik on 27 December 2001. The Swedish Radiation Protection Authority, SSI, was of the opinion that Studsvik had contravened the Radiation Protection Act and the Act on Transportation of Hazardous Goods. SSI considered that the crime was not negligible and reported the company to the office of the public prosecutor in Nyköping.

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See also www.studsvik.se

## **Facts about Studsvik**

Studsvik is a high-tech company with a leading position in nuclear technology. Studsvik develops and markets products and services which contribute to solving customers' environmental, safety and quality problems through the application of primarily nuclear technology as well as other industrial processes. Studsvik's business is international and customers mainly comprise nuclear power plants and nuclear fuel producers as well as industrial companies and organizations in the health care sector. Studsvik comprises six strategic business areas (SBA) – Operating Efficiency and Safety, Service and Maintenance, Waste Treatment, Decommissioning, Irradiation Services and Nuclear Medicine.